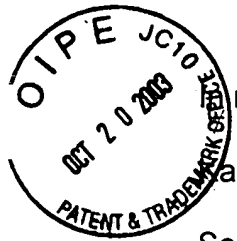


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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 20, 2003 for one (1) month from September 20, 2003 to October 20, 2003.

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